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The Honorable Analisa Torres  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

**Re: *United States v. Cholo Abdi Abdullah*, 20 Cr. 677 (AT)**

Dear Judge Torres:

The Government respectfully requests, with the consent of defense, that time be excluded in the interests of justice under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), from August 16, 2022 until January 3, 2023. On February 14, 2022, the Court set a schedule for the parties' pretrial motions and excluded time until August 8, 2022, the deadline for the defendant's reply motion. (Dkt. 42). On July 6, 2022, the Court granted the defendant's request to adjourn the pretrial motion deadlines. The parties' pretrial motions are now scheduled to be completed by January 3, 2023. (Dkt. 49). Accordingly, the Government requests that time be excluded until January 3, 2023 to allow for the defendant to continue reviewing discovery and file any pretrial motions.


Respectfully submitted,

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GRANTED. Time is excluded under the Speedy Trial Act from **August 16, 2022**, until **January 3, 2023**, because the ends of justice served by excluding such time outweigh the interests of the public and Defendant in a speedy trial because this will allow time for Defendant to review discovery and file pretrial motions.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 17, 2022  
New York, New York

  
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ANALISA TORRES  
United States District Judge